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PRESBYTERIANS ADJOURN. Proposed Plan Is Not Published to World.

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Benjamin New Post-Office Safe. New Franklin, Mo., Dec. 1.—The Post Office at Franklin Junction, Mo., was entered last night, the safe blown open and \$25 in money taken.

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The most delicious of all **CEYLON TEAS.**

**FELTON PLEADS NOT GUILTY.**  
Man Who Killed Guy Roche Remanded to Tombs.  
New York, Dec. 1.—Stewart A. Felton, known as "Big Frank" Felton, who, on Thanksgiving Day, fatally wounded Guy Roche, a gambler, and who was indicted by the Grand Jury for murder in the first degree, was today arraigned before Judge Foster in general sessions and pleaded not guilty. He was remanded to the Tombs. District Attorney Jerome said he was investigating the case and that if it was shown that Felton acted in self-defense he would ask for a dismissal of the indictment.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE UNUSED.**  
E. B. Myers Returned It, Stating It Was Prematurely Obtained.  
The marriage license issued last Monday to Edward B. Myers of Newcastle, Pa., and Miss Rose Maher of Alton, Ill., was returned last Wednesday to the marriage license office, unused.  
It was taken to the office by Myers, who stated that it had been prematurely taken out. The report became circulated that the couple were married.  
How can Carmody sell the best whiskeys, brandies, gins and other liquors for 10 cents? That is easy to answer. The volume of business makes the profits.

**CLUB WOMEN HOLD MEETING.**  
Fifth District of Missouri Federation Convenes at Sedalia.  
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Sedalia, Mo., Dec. 1.—The third annual meeting of the Fifth District of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs convened here this afternoon and will continue over to-morrow. There is a good attendance of district delegates, and there are quite a number of club women from St. Louis, Kansas City and cities outside of the Fifth District.  
Mrs. P. H. Rea of Marshall, president of the district, presided to-day, and Mrs. J. S. Rogers of Sedalia acted as secretary. The address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. T. P. McClure of Sedalia, and the response was by Mrs. Alice Kinney of New Franklin. An address by Mrs. Philip N. Moore of St. Louis, president of the Missouri State Federation of Women's Clubs, and a paper on "Folk Lore" by Mrs. G. S. Hardin of Marshall were interesting features of to-day's meeting.

**WILL INVESTIGATE FRAUDS.**  
Special Grand Jury for Denver Election Cases.  
Denver, Colo., Dec. 1.—District Judge John L. Mullins, in the Criminal Court today issued an order summoning a Grand Jury to investigate alleged election frauds in this county.  
This step is taken at the request of the Democratic leaders, who charge that money was wrongfully used by corporations to elect certain candidates at the recent election, and that votes were coerced by their employers.

**REPUBLIC SPECIAL.**  
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**Jim Key Says Open.**  
The exhibition of the educated horse on the Pike will be open on Friday and Saturday.  
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**LIEUT. MOHN'S SUIT STIRS ARMY CIRCLES**

Center of Discussion at Jefferson Barracks and Among World's Fair Staff.

**CASE IS WITHOUT PRECEDENT.**

Officers Say Court-Martial Has Right to Substitute Minor Charge Without Notifying the Accused.

The proposed suit of Lieutenant Albert J. Mohn of the Fourth United States Cavalry in the Federal Court to force a reversal of the findings of the court-martial and General Wint, as its reviewing officer, was the sole topic of conversation at Jefferson Barracks and in World's Fair army circles yesterday.

The action of the young Lieutenant in employing counsel to appeal to the courts to vindicate his honor, as his friends say, is without precedent in this division of the army.

Army officers are silent when approached on the proposed action. They refuse to discuss the case, saying the printed decision of the general court-martial is final and covers the case fully.

In the absence of Colonel Anderson, commanding at Jefferson Barracks, Post Adjutant Captain Slocum stated yesterday that a court-martial's findings, duly approved by the department commander, have been rarely reversed in the history of the United States Army.

Speaking generally of the laws of military procedure, which seem to govern the case of Lieutenant Mohn and the charges made against him, Captain Slocum said: "It is within the authority of a general court-martial to substitute a minor charge against an accused officer at its discretion. There is no appeal from this privilege. It is not even necessary to give to the accused officer notice of this decision."

If this military tribunal, which is the highest in the land, finds that the charges have not been substantiated at the trial, but that the officer is guilty of a violation of a statute of importance, it is their province to dismiss the original charge and find the defendant guilty of the second offense.

"In military parlance, it would not be necessary in this instance to retry the case. In a civil action such a procedure might be necessary."

We cannot discuss the specific case of Lieutenant Mohn. The findings of the court were made public Friday, and the officer was released from custody.

"Lieutenant Mohn's friends say there is a disposition on the part of some officers to look with disfavor upon the officers promoted from the ranks. Have you ever noticed any such prejudice?"

"That's all bosh," was the reply. "Why, I am not a West Pointer and have been twice Adjutant of a regiment."

None of the other officers at the post would discuss the case.

Lieutenant Mohn is youthful-looking and of modest bearing. He was asked if he would make a brief statement regarding his proposed suit, but declined to do so.

Lieutenant Mohn is still at Jefferson Barracks awaiting orders from the War Department. It is likely that by the time the case reaches the calendar of the court, whose names are mentioned in the papers will be on duty in the Philippines, as it was said yesterday that the troops of the different regiments wintering there would be ordered to the islands in the early spring to relieve regiments stationed there.

Carmody's, No. 213 North Eighth street, the finest equipped liquor house in the city. Popular prices are charged for the best goods.

**RESCUE 103 FROM DEATH.**  
Annual Report of Life Saving Service Is Made.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The annual report of the General Superintendent of the Life-Saving Service for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, shows that during the year assistance was rendered by the life-saving crews to 1,061 vessels of all kinds, involving the lives of more than 2,300 persons and property to the value of nearly seven million dollars.

Signs and fences in the neighborhood of the beach patrols saved from a terrible disaster 161 vessels in danger of stranding.

**Crawfish Soup Every Friday.**  
Melshamer's Cafe, 207 N. Third, 329 Pine.

**ASSESS FRESHMEN 20C EACH.**  
Yale First Year Men to Pay for Park's Cleaning.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 1.—Dean Wright of the academic department of Yale has ordered the members of the freshman class to pay an assessment of 20 cents each in order to meet the expense incurred by the City Park Commissioners in cleaning East Rock Park after a freshman celebration there.

Signs and fences in the neighborhood of the park were destroyed and the number of the class were painted on the face of the lofty cliff.

The actual perpetrators of the acts have not been discovered.

"Which way, BUH?" "Oh, I am just going down to Carmody's to get the best drink in town for 10 cents, and save car fare."

**TABERNACLE FIGHT IS OVER.**  
Dixon Citizens Cannot Use Government Property.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Dixie, Ill., Dec. 1.—The fight over the location of the tabernacle for the Reverend William Sunday meeting here in February between the Ministerial Association and the property owners is ended.

The Government in a telegram this morning withdrew permission to use the lot recently purchased for the new Post Office. The committee commenced work on a new site this morning on First street and will construct a building at once.

Scotch whiskeys, popular brands, DeWares, Ricks', etc., straight or highball, 10 cents.

**Big Attachment Suit Filed.**  
The E. R. Darlington Lumber Company filed an attachment suit in the Circuit Court yesterday for \$20,946.24 against the Buerdett Construction Company, which did building at the World's Fair. The suit is for materials furnished and labor delivered to the defendant, and which became due February 3 last. It is stated.

The sheriff was instructed to attach all property and evidences of debt to the defendant that might be found in the hands of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company.

Carmody gives no big lunch. He puts the price of lunch in reduction of price of goods.

**Republicans Declared Elected.**  
Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 1.—A certificate of election has been given to Bennett (Rep.), who was opposed by Kehoe (Dem.), in the Ninth Congressional District.

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BROADWAY AND LOCUST STREET

**OLD GAME WORKED ON TWO DRUGGISTS**  
Messengers Sent With Medicines and Change for \$10 Bill Robbed.  
Two South End druggists report that two men, working an old swindle game, have fleeced their employees out of amounts aggregating \$115.  
The name of a good customer of the druggist is secured by one of the men, who telephones for some medicine to be delivered at the customer's house. The employee sent on the errand, usually a small boy, is then met at the door of the house by a confederate of the swindler who called for the medicine and sent back to the store for change for a \$10 bill.  
When the boy returns with the change the thief snatches the money from his hand and runs away.  
In this way the men secured \$4.75 from M. J. Schoenrich, proprietor of a drug store at Eighteenth street and Chestnut avenue, and \$2.40 from the messenger dispatched from Glau's Pharmacy, at No. 1387 Park avenue.  
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**MISSOURI BOOK FINALLY SECURES THE GRAND PRIZE.**  
Walter Williams, editor of the Missouri Book, has been awarded a gold medal by the World's Fair Superior Jury on Awards and the Missouri Book will receive a grand prize.  
The book was at first awarded a grand prize, but the Superior Jury reduced the award to a gold medal and announced that Mr. Williams would receive a silver medal.  
Numerous complaints immediately commenced flowing in, and the Superior Jury reversed its ruling, thus restoring the grand prize to the book and the gold medal to its editor.

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